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Ms. Cindy Padilla, Director
New Mexico Environment Department
Water and Waste Management Division
P.O. Box 26110
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502


Dear Ms. Padilla:

**Re: Hanover/Whitewater Creeks Investigation Units
 Interim Remedial Action Workplan -Chino AOC**

Submitted under separate cover is an Interim Remedial Action Work Plan for the Hanover/Whitewater Creek Investigation Units under the Chino Administrative Order on Consent (AOC). This work plan was submitted today to Messrs. Chris Eustice and Phil Harrigan.

Please contact Mr. Byron Belew at (505) 537-8133 if you have any questions regarding this proposal.

Very truly yours,


Timothy E. Eastep, Manager
Environment, Land and Water

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